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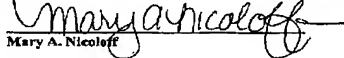
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RUBBERY POLYMERS)
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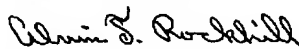
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Dear Sir:

ELECTION

In response to the communication mailed on June 2, 2004, subjecting the above-identified patent application to a restriction or election requirement, the Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group III which is directed to a rubbery polymer and includes claims 3, 6-10, and 16-20.

Respectfully submitted,



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